(ग) किसी भी वस्तु का मूल्य आयात शुल्क सहित बहुत से कारकों पर निर्भर करता है। दालों पर आयात शुल्क में कमी से घरेलू मूल्यों पर प्रभाव पड़ने की संभावना है।

(घ) ऐसी स्थिति, यदि पैदा होती है, से निपटने के लिए सरकार उचित कार्रवाई करेगी।

Statement on Air India's performance

293. SHRI RAMDAS AGARWAL: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Chairman of Air India and Indian Airlines has stated recently that "Air India" ranked 3rd amongst the worst Airlines in the World;

(b) if so, what remedial steps are proposed to be taken to improve the services of Air India; and

(c) if not, the action proposed to be taken in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD): (a) to (c) The remarks of Chairman Air India/Indian Airlines were reported out of context in the press. He had remarked that Air India, which was once among the best three airlines in the world was not possibly among the worst three and with effort could regain its past position. The company is taking steps to improve its product, image and on time performance.

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[The Deputy Chairman in the Chair]

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

Notification of the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI K.P. SINGH DEO): Madam, I lay on the Table, under sub-section (3) of Section 22 of the Cable Television Networks (Regulation) Act, 1995, a copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting Notification GSR No. 453(E), dated the 29th May, 1995, publishing the Cable Television Networks (Amendment) Rules, 1995.

[Placed in Library. *See* No. LT- 7966/95]

REPORT OF THE VOHRA COMMITTEE

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P.M. SAYEED): Madam, I beg to lay on the Table a copy of the Vohra Committee Report in English. Hindi version of the Report will be laid on the table of the House on 2nd August, 1995.

REPORTS OF THE DEPARTMENT RELATED PARLIAMENTARY STANDING COMMITTEE ON SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS

SYED SIBTEY RAZI (Uttar Pradesh): Madam, I present the following Reports (in English and Hindi) of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Science and Technology, Environment and Forests:—

(i) Twenty-seventh Report on the Annual Report (1993-94) of the Department of Scientific & Industrial Research with reference to its R&D programmes in the area of Chemicals; and

(ii) Twenty-eighth Report on the Annual report (1993-94) of the Department of Electronics with reference to Software Technology Parks; Electronics Hardware Technology Parks (EHTPS); Electronics for weaker sections including women; Employment potential of Electronics; and Support of the Department of Electronics for Research and Development, particularly with regard to Technology Development Council, National Radar Council and Industrial Promotion.